

MARY ELIZABETH COOPER,
Plaintiff,
v.
VIVIAN CARE MANAGEMENT, LLC,
and GLEN OAKS HEALTHCARE, LLC,
Defendants.

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) Case No. 4:22-cv-3
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) Judge Travis R. McDonough
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) Magistrate Judge Christopher H. Steger
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The documents provided by the parties demonstrate that Glen Oaks Healthcare LLC is an affiliated organization of Viviant Healthcare (Doc. 34-1, at 20), and that Glen Oaks LLC is wholly owned by BTGO Healthcare Holdings LLC (Doc. 31-1, at 5). BTGO Holdings LLC has a member that is a citizen of Tennessee. (Doc. 31-3.) “[F]ederal courts have a duty to consider their subject matter jurisdiction in regard to every case and may raise the issue sua sponte.” *Answers in Genesis of Ky., Inc. v. Creation Ministries Int’l, Ltd.*, 556 F.3d 459, 465 (6th Cir. 2009). Diversity jurisdiction under 28 U.S.C. § 1332 requires “complete diversity,” *see U.S. Motors v. Gen. Motors Europe*, 551 F.3d 420, 423–24 (6th Cir. 2008), and a limited-liability company possesses the citizenship of its members, *Delay v. Rosenthal Collins Grp., LLC*, 285 F.3d 1003, 1005 (6th Cir. 2009). For the purposes of diversity citizenship, Glen Oaks Healthcare LLC is a citizen of Tennessee because its owner, BTGO Healthcare Holdings LLC, has a member that is a Tennessee citizen. Because Plaintiff Mary Elizabeth Cooper is also a citizen of

Tennessee, there does not exist diversity jurisdiction in this matter. Accordingly, this action is **DISMISSED WITHOUT PREJUDICE**. The Clerk is **DIRECTED** to **CLOSE** the case.

SO ORDERED.

/s/ Travis R. McDonough

TRAVIS R. MCDONOUGH
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE

ENTERED AS A JUDGMENT

s/ LeAnna R. Wilson
CLERK OF COURT